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Applicants : Kinzo Kishida et al.
Appl. No. : 10/535,572
Filed : May 19, 2005
For : OPTICAL FIBER MEASURING MODULE HAVING BASE MEMBER
HOLDING OPTICAL FIBER CABLE

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

This Request is submitted in response to the office action of September 29,
2006.

Claims 1-18 remain in the application.

The applicants and the assignee are pleased to note that claims 4, 6, 9, 17
and 18 have been allowed. Those claims remain in the application and have not been
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